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SEC RET BOBBREZ EYES ONLY DSD/SECRETARY MEINBERGER SEC DEF FOR SECRETARY MEINBERGER, PROM DASD/ARMITAGE SUBJECT: CHIMA 1. (3) RE MY MEETING MITH MND OPPICIALS, IT MAS CLEAR THAT

THEY MERE INSTRUCTED TO GIVE MOTHING AWAY. ON THE BUBLECT OF YOUR TRIP THO CHIMESE SAID THAT THEY MOULD MELCOME BUCH A VISIT BUT THAT ME SHOULD PREPARE A DATE AND THEY ID STAFF THE DATE AND GET IF IT WAS ACCEPTABLE. CONCERNING MILITARY EXCHANGES, THE CHIMESE SIDE WAS BUITE EVASIVE AND OBVIOUSLY UNDER INSTRUCTIONS TO REMAIN-SO. (WE HAD MEARD PRIOR TO THE MEETING THAT THEY MERE PREPARED TO ROVE AMEAD MITH THEIR EXCHANGES). ON THE THIRD ISSUE OF THE VISIT OF THE DEPUTY CHIEF OF THE GENERAL STAFF TO MASHINGTON, THE CHIMESE SAID THAT THIS MOULD SET IMPLUENCED BY THE TAIMAN OWESTION AND MOULD REQUIRE PURTHER STUDY.

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2. (4) AT THE BANGUET LAST MISHT THREE MEMOERS O'OUR PARTY MERE APPROACHED SEPARATELY AND ASKED IF DOD AND PARTICULARLY YOU MOULD BE ANNOTED WITH THE RESULTS OF THE AFTERMOON MEETING. WE FACH EAVE A HON-COMMITTAL PROFIL IN SORROW THAN IN AMBERT REPLY.

3. (8) THIS WAS BY THIRD OCCASION TO MEET WITH MMD OFFICIALS IN CHINA, BUT THE FIRST TIME THAT A FOREIGN HINISTRY TYPE WAS PRESENT TO MONITOR. MAIN THRUST OF MMD PRESENTATION WAS THAT MILITARY TO MILITARY RELATIONS WERE SUBORDINATE TO STATE RELATIONS.

C. (2) SUPPLY, SECTIFF UNDERTOOK THIS TRIP HITH HODEST, LOW-KEY OBJECTIVES AND HET THESE. I SELIEVE THE CHINESE ALSO ENTERED THESE TALKS FROM THAT PERSPECTIVE. THEY ALSO MERE MOT DISAPPOINTED. IT MUST BE MOTED THAT FOR THE FIRST TIME IN MY MEMORY HE HAD A DISCUSSION HITH THE CHINESE AND DID MOT COME BEARING SIFTS ETC. THEY WERE OBVIOUSLY IMPRESSED WITH THE SERIOUSNESS AND CANDOR OF SECSTATE AND STRESSED REPEATEDLY THAT THE DISCUSSIONS MAD BERYED TO FURTHER MUTUAL TRUST.

VERY RESPECTFULLY RICK'

DELIVER DURING MORRING HOURS, DECL DADR

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